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Title: IMMUNOPOTENTIATING AND INFECTION PROTECTIVE  
AGENT AND PRODUCTION THEREOF

**OFFER TO SURRENDER**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Eisai R&D Management Co., Ltd., patent owner of Letters Patent US 5,945,420 entitled, "Immunopotentiating and Infection Protective Agent and Production Thereof," granted on August 31, 1999, to Seichi ARAKI, Mamoru SUZUKI and Masatoshi FUJIMOTO, states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest to said patent by assignment of the entire right, title and interest from Eisai Co., Ltd., the previous assignee, as recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 018972, Frame 0624, on March 8, 2007, and the assignee of reissue application 09/943,054 as a result of this assignment.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.178, Eisai R&D Management Co., Ltd., the assignee owning an undivided interest in the original patent, hereby offers to surrender said Letters Patent U.S. 5,945,420.

The undersigned, the President of Eisai R&D Management Co., Ltd., is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

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